

Sec. 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the voters at an election to be held on November 8, 1988 [3, 1987]. The ballot shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment establishing an economic stabilization fund in the state treasury to be used to offset unforeseen shortfalls in revenue."

Adopted by the Senate on July 6, 1987, by the following vote: Yeas 28, Nays 0; and that the Senate concurred in House amendments on July 18, 1987, by the following vote: Yeas 27, Nays 0. Adopted by the House, with amendments, on July 17, 1987, by the following vote: Yeas 135, Nays 0, two present not voting.

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S.J.R. No. 6

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing a constitutional amendment providing that certain justice precincts may contain more than one justice of the peace court.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Article V, Section 18(a), of the Texas Constitution is amended to read as follows:

(a) Each county in the State with a population of 30,000 or more, according to the most recent federal census, from time to time, for the convenience of the people, shall be divided into not less than four and not more than eight precincts. Each county in the State with a population of 18,000 or more but less than 30,000, according to the most recent federal census, from time to time, for the convenience of the people, shall be divided into not less than two and not more than five precincts. Each county in the State with a population of less than 18,000, according to the most recent federal census, from time to time, for the convenience of the people, shall be designated as a single precinct or, if the Commissioners Court determines that the county needs more than one precinct, shall be divided into not more than four precincts. Notwithstanding the population requirements of this subsection, Chambers County, from time to time, for the convenience of the people, shall be divided into not less than two and not more than six precincts. A division or designation under this subsection shall be made by the Commissioners Court provided for by this Constitution. In each such precinct there shall be elected one Justice of the Peace and one Constable, each of whom shall hold his office for four years and until his successor shall be elected and qualified; provided that *in a county with a population of less than 150,000, according to the most recent federal census*, in any precinct in which there may be a city of 18,000 or more inhabitants, there shall be elected two Justices of the Peace, *and in a county with a population of 150,000 or more, according to the most recent federal census, each precinct may contain more than one Justice of the Peace Court.*

SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 3, 1987. The ballot shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment providing that certain justice precincts may contain more than one justice of the peace court."

Adopted by the Senate on July 16, 1987, by the following vote: Yeas 30, Nays 0.

Adopted by the House on July 18, 1987, by the following vote: Yeas 135, Nays 3, one present not voting.

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S.J.R. No. 8

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing a constitutional amendment relating to the dedication of certain funds for highway purposes and amending Section 2, H.J.R. 2, Acts of the 70th Legislature, Regular Session, 1987, relating to date of election.